GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5053
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FLUOROSIS MITIGATION CENTRE
Thakkar Smt. Jayaben B.

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

to the replies given to Unstarred Question Nos. 1404 and 1607 on August 04, 2006 and December 01, 2006 respectively and state:

(a) whether any decision so far has been taken in the matter of establishment of Fluorosis Mitigation Centre (FMC) in the country

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be established indicating the present status thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU)

(a) to (c) Yes, Sir. It has been decided to set up Regional Fluorosis Mitigation Centres at Gandhinagar and Hyderabad by way of upgradation of existing Institutions. In this regard, the respective State Governments have been requested to send their detailed proposals for strengthening the identified institutions.